

## **Public Information Officer Support**

## Fire Reported at ITC Media Release #8

For Immediate Release

LA PORTE, Texas, March 18, 2019 – (UPDATE) - This is a 10 P.M. update regarding the fire at Intercontinental Terminals Company, LLC (ITC) in La Porte, Texas:

ITC has established a claims hotline and website for businesses and individuals following the fire incident at its terminal in Deer Park.

Claims have arisen as a result of the Sunday morning incident. If you believe you have suffered damage or loss as a result of the incident, you can go to <a href="http://itcclaims.com">http://itcclaims.com</a>, download and fill out the appropriate claim form, and submit it with supporting documents using the following email address: incidents31719@itcclaims.com, or by mail to the following address:

ITC Claims March 17, 2019 Incident P.O. Box 698 Deer Park, Texas, 77536

Businesses and residents can also call the ITCCares telephone hotline at (346) 263-9766.

Please note that there are separate claim forms for businesses and individuals.

Earlier today, ITC released to the public an environmental report issued by the Center for Toxicology and Environmental Health, LLC (CTEH). According to the report, all air quality detections recorded by the CTEH were below levels that would represent a public health concern.

Emergency responders continue working on suppressing the fire and continue to work with foam and water to control and prevent the fire from spreading.



We continue to take precautions to further reduce the risk of explosion.

All personnel are accounted for and there have been no injuries reported as a result of this incident.

ITC officials continue to work closely with first responders to contain the fire and to be transparent with the community regarding this incident. The safety and well-being of the surrounding communities, our employees, our first responders, and the environment remain our top priorities. We will provide additional updates as more information becomes available.

ITC is continuing coordinating its response with representatives of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, the US Environmental Protection Agency, the US Coast Guard, Harris County and other Federal, State, and local agencies.

Please contact PIO Support Team at 832.780.6739 at Intercontinental Terminals Company for additional information.

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